

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel or amend the claims as set forth herein:

1. (Currently Amended) A baseball-style cap with a tubular sweatband comprising:
 - a crown main body having a plurality of panels;
 - a visor portion secured to a forward portion of said peripheral edge of said crown main body and extending outwardly therefrom;
 - a sweatband sewn along said lower peripheral edge of said crown main body, said sweatband ~~made of a fabric portion~~ woven of a spun thread material having quick perspiration absorbency to form a tubular channel which is flattened and sewn with only two substantially parallel lines, each of said lines extending along and adjacent a respective longitudinal edge of said tubular channel to provide a guideline for attaching the sweatband to the crown main body.

Claims 2-5 (Canceled).

6. (Currently Amended) A sweatband for use with a baseball-style cap comprising a fabric portion woven of a spun thread material having quick perspiration absorbency to form a tubular channel such that, when flattened, two layers of said tubular fabric portion provide moisture absorbency ~~without a need for sewing to join the two layers, said two layers lying and lie~~ against one another when said sweatband is in use, said sweatband being sewn with only two substantially

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parallel lines of stitching along longitudinal edges thereof to provide a guideline for attaching said sweatband to a crown main body of a baseball-style cap.

Claims 7-10 (Canceled).